STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS

In the Matter of the Proposed Rules of the Department of Natural Resources Relating to Endangered, Threatened, and Special Concern Species

ORDER ON REVIEW
OF ADDITIONAL NOTICE
PLAN AND HEARING NOTICE

This matter came before Administrative Law Judge James E. LaFave upon the application of the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources for a legal review under Minn. R. 1400.2060.

On November 16, 2012, the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources filed documents with the Office of Administrative Hearings seeking review and approval of its additional notice plan.

Based upon a review of the written submissions by the Department, including its plan to notify a number of interested environmental and social organizations, businesses, individuals, state legislators who have an interest in these areas, as well as, staff from bordering states that are responsible for rule making,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

- The Additional Notice Plan is APPROVED.
- 2. The Hearing Notice is **APPROVED**.

Dated: November 27, 2012

s/James E. LaFave

JAMES E. LAFAVE

Administrative Law Judge